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One of the most peculiar of the placer mines of Josephine county is that of Archie Tyce, near Holland. The ground lies high upon the divide between Sucker creek and Althouse, nearly on the summit. The only available water for working comes from two or three short gulches which yield a flow only during the wettest weather. With the aid of a reservoir a run of several weeks is possible during the year. Mr. Tyce works with the old time ground sluice method, the water supply being too small to justify a hydraulic equipment. Worked under these restrictive conditions the mine is credited with an output that would compare favorably with many placers of far greater pretensions and equipment. The gold secured is very pure but seems to occur in two varieties or grades. One is a very heavy, smooth channel gold while the other is quartz gold. Some of the gold is yellow and bright in color and some is black or rusty. The ground is shallow, ranging from two to six feet in depth. Unlike most placers the bank is nearly all dirt, the boulders being exceedingly few and small.

The gold occurs in nuggets and is so uniformly coarse that pieces of less than \$1 in weight are classified by Mr. Tyce as "fine gold" and he chafes impatiently at the labor required to separate such pieces from the black sand and other heavy residue. The mine lies in a district of rich quartz mines a number of which are now being worked on a small scale at a profit.

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RICHEST ROCK IN WINDY HOLLOW

Strike Near the Original Find That Far Surpasses It in Values.

News of one of the richest, if not the very richest, gold strikes ever made on the coast, has just been received by M. Marks, formerly of Grants Pass, manager of the Lakeview Mining & Milling company. In a tunnel on the Jumbo claim a body of ore has been opened that is literally peppered with gold. The strike is on the main ledge, 150 feet north of the original workings from which Loftus Brothers made the strike that first caused the rush to Windy Hollow.

The recent strike is said to be of a better character in that it occurs at depth and directly on the main lode. Samples of ore sent out prove the strike to be a fabulous one. Gold is visible in all parts of the quartz, and the poorest of it runs hundreds of dollars to the ton.

While the uncovering of the marvelous pay streak adds to the elation of the mine owners of the district, they base their high estimation of the worth of Windy Hollow on the huge dimensions of the ledges and the stable character of the veins. Secretary F. H. Briggs of the Lakeview company, who was also a resident of Grants Pass believes the great gold rush of next Summer will be to Windy Hollow and that section of Oregon.

"Everything that has been found there is proving big," said Mr. Briggs. "Not a single stringer vein has been uncovered. There are no pockets, no blanket ledges; everything is broad, deep and permanent with good values all the way through. This is what attracts the real mining man, and that is why I am confident we will have a crowd of gold-diggers over there as soon as the weather softens and the snow leaves."

Auctions for All.

A large crowd attended the auction sale at Independence last month on the first "auction day." It was recently decided to set aside one day of each month to hold these auction sales, at which time anyone is at liberty to bring any property of any description that he has for sale to the highest bidder, the day to be known as "auction day." These sales are conducted in neighboring towns and have proved very helpful, particularly to the farmers.

At this sale, although it was the first held, there was a large crowd and among the property to change hands were six horses, three cows, two wagons, plows, harrows, farming implements of every description, etc. The fourth Saturday of each month has been decided on as the regular day for these sales, and with the present prospects it is likely a second Saturday during the month will be designated.

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